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**NOTICE OF APPEAL**

Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision dated May 19, 2005 of the Examiner finally rejecting claims 1-31.

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